Help wanted

The New Mexico Department of Health's Healthy Kids Healthy Communities (HKHC) program has a full-time contract position available for a Community Coordinator in Socorro County. HKHC coordinators are responsible for building relationships and working collaboratively with Early Childhood Education (ECE) programs, elementary schools, senior centers, local food systems such as farmers markets and community gardens, and city planning organizations to increase opportunities for healthy eating, physical activity, and obesity prevention where children and community members live, learn, play, work, eat, and shop.

Main Job Responsibilities

- Coordinate, support, and encourage participation in the HKHC Socorro County coalition, workgroups, and partner meetings, events, and activities
- Build relationships and work collaboratively with ECE programs, school district personnel, community agencies/organizations, and representatives of local government on implementing sustainable changes to increase healthy eating and physical activity opportunities
- Promote and share information about HKHC Socorro County healthy eating/physical activity efforts through social media, local newspaper, City of Socorro website, and other media
- Attend HKHC program and partner trainings to learn best practices for healthy eating, physical
 activity, and obesity prevention, network with other coordinators, and share successes, challenges,
 and lessons learned

Contract will be administered through the City of Socorro.

Position will report to:

- Polo Pineda, Socorro City Clerk
- Rita Condon, Obesity, Nutrition, and Physical Activity Program Manager, New Mexico Department of Health.

To view the full job description, with skills and qualifications, visit https://www.socorronm.gov/city-services/city-of-socorro-job-openings/.

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